



Attorney's Docket No. 033339/234602

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Chantal Cayeula et al.
Appl. No.: 09/856,969
Filing Date: August 1, 2001
For: SELECTION AND USES OF LACTIC ACID
BACTERIA STRAINS MODULATING
NON-SPECIFIC IMMUNITY

Confirmation No. 5142
Group Art Unit 1645
Examiner: Jana Hines

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of 1 months to respond to the Office Action dated January 24, 2003.

2. Applicant is ☐ a small entity; ☒ other than a small entity.

3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

	Total Months Requested	Fee For Other Than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$410.00	\$205.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$930.00	\$465.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,450.00	\$725.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	five months*	\$1,970.00	\$985.00

*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed.

☐ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.

☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

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